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MEMORANDUM TO:

All Holders of the NCBDS Design Manual

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SUBJECT:

NCBDS Version 7.5

The latest version of **NCBDS** has been released. In Version 7.5, the prestressed girder program has been updated to design and analyze girders with partially debonded strand patterns. In addition, temporary and final girder stresses are now checked at the end of the girder in addition to the centerline and reported in the output.

Chapter 9 of the NCBDS manual has been revised to include the changes made in NCBDS Version 7.5. Please replace the existing Chapter 9 of the manual with the attached revision.

Attachment

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